

HOUSE BILL 4002

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 13, Part 1, relative to public charter
schools.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-13-128, is amended by adding
the following language as new subsection (e):

(e) The office of educational accountability in the office of the comptroller shall
study and evaluate fiscal and administrative compliance issues arising with regard to the
reporting and documentation that charter schools are required by law to provide the
school districts in which they operate. The study and evaluation shall include input from
school districts in which charter schools operate and shall include such districts'
recommendations. The office of educational accountability shall report its findings and
recommendations to the general assembly by February 1, 2009.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.